

Third Quarter Summary Report Based On Number of Reported Cases July - September 2002

Juvenile Court **BLOUNT**
Court Number **5**

July - September 2002	Affecting	344 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
		282 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons*
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases

0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00%	1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00%	2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Rape
1	OR	0.29%	Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00%	Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00%	Rape
0	OR	0.00%	Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00%	Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00%	Sexual Abuse of a Child
0	OR	0.00%	Other Sexual Offenses
2	OR	0.57%	Aggravated Assault
0	OR	0.00%	Robbery
0	OR	0.00%	Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00%	Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
18	OR	5.14%	Assault
0	OR	0.00%	Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00%	Arson
1	OR	0.29%	Aggravated Burglary
16	OR	4.57%	Theft of Property
1	OR	0.29%	Vandalism
0	OR	0.00%	Forgery
0	OR	0.00%	Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00%	Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
3	OR	0.86%	Burglary
0	OR	0.00%	Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00%	Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00%	Sale of Controlled Substances
1	OR	0.29%	Other Drug Offenses
3	OR	0.86%	Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00%	Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00%	Carrying Weapons on School Property
0	OR	0.00%	Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
0	OR	0.00%	Evading Arrest
1	OR	0.29%	Escape
1	OR	0.29%	Driving Under Influence (DUI)
20	OR	5.71%	Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
9	OR	2.57%	Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00%	Aggravated Criminal Trespass
0	OR	0.00%	Harassment
0	OR	0.00%	Failure to Appear
1	OR	0.29%	Filing a False Police Report
3	OR	0.86%	Criminal Impersonation
6	OR	1.71%	Disorderly Conduct
1	OR	0.29%	Criminal Trespass
1	OR	0.29%	Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00%	Gambling
26	OR	7.43%	Traffic
0	OR	0.00%	Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Wildlife Regulations
1	OR	0.29%	Contempt of Court
40	OR	11.43%	Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Aftercare
38	OR	10.86%	Unruly Behavior
2	OR	0.57%	Truancy
14	OR	4.00%	In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00%	Out-of-State Runaway
35	OR	10.00%	Possession of Tobacco Products
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of a Valid Court Order
1	OR	0.29%	Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00%	Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00%	Physically Abused Child
9	OR	2.57%	Dependency/Neglect
0	OR	0.00%	Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00%	Violation of Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00%	Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00%	Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00%	Foster Care Review
35	OR	10.00%	Custody
1	OR	0.29%	Visitation
31	OR	8.86%	Paternity/Legitimation
16	OR	4.57%	Child Support
0	OR	0.00%	Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00%	Consent to Marry
12	OR	3.43%	Other

350	OR	100.00%	Total
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Of the 344 Cases, There Were

350 Referral Sources

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Referral Source

159	OR	45.4% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
47	OR	13.4% Were Referred By Parents
24	OR	6.9% Were Referred By Relatives
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Self
4	OR	1.1% Were Referred By School
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By CSA
26	OR	7.4% Were Referred By DCS
12	OR	3.4% Were Referred By Other State Departments
44	OR	12.6% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
18	OR	5.1% Were Referred By Court Staff
6	OR	1.7% Were Referred By Social Agency
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other Court
3	OR	0.9% Were Referred By Victim
1	OR	0.3% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
1	OR	0.3% Were Unknown
5	OR	1.4% Other
350	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 344 Cases, There Were 350 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

249	OR	71.1% Petition Filed
0	OR	0.0% Motion Filed
100	OR	28.6% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Other
1	OR	0.3% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
350	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 344 Cases:

Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
110	OR	32.0% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
234	OR	68.0% Does Not Apply
0	OR	0.0% Other
344	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

76	OR	22.1% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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5	OR	1.5% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
9	OR	2.6% Shelter Facility/Group Home
1	OR	0.3% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
17	OR	4.9% Unknown
233	OR	67.7% Does Not Apply
3	OR	0.9% Other
344	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2001, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

282 Children

Age of Child At Referral

65	OR	23.0% Birth Through Age 10
17	OR	6.0% Ages 11 Through 12
37	OR	13.1% Ages 13 Through 14
93	OR	33.0% Ages 15 Through 16
68	OR	24.1% Age 17 Through 18
0	OR	0.0% Age 19 And Over
2	OR	0.7% Unknown/Not Reported
282	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

172	OR	61.0% Male
105	OR	37.2% Female
5	OR	1.8% Unknown
282	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

243	OR	86.2% White
19	OR	6.7% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
3	OR	1.1% Mixed Race
17	OR	6.0% Unknown
282	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 282 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

2	OR	0.7% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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48	OR	17.0% Living With Both Biological Parents
3	OR	1.1% Living With Father And Stepmother
19	OR	6.7% Living With Mother And Stepfather

100	OR	35.5% Living With Mother
32	OR	11.3% Living With Father
39	OR	13.8% Living With Relatives
4	OR	1.4% Living With Adoptive Parents
7	OR	2.5% Living With Foster Family
14	OR	5.0% Living In A Group Home
4	OR	1.4% Living In A Residential Center
1	OR	0.4% Living In An Institution
2	OR	0.7% Living Independently
3	OR	1.1% Unknown
6	OR	2.1% Other
282	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

233	OR	82.6% Were Enrolled In School
32	OR	11.3% Were Not Enrolled In School
17	OR	6.0% Unknown
282	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

17	OR	6.0% Too Young For School
1	OR	0.4% Pre-School
9	OR	3.2% Finished Kindergarten
5	OR	1.8% Finished Grade 1
4	OR	1.4% Finished Grade 2
4	OR	1.4% Finished Grade 3
3	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 4
9	OR	3.2% Finished Grade 5
11	OR	3.9% Finished Grade 6
23	OR	8.2% Finished Grade 7
28	OR	9.9% Finished Grade 8
43	OR	15.2% Finished Grade 9
36	OR	12.8% Finished Grade 10
38	OR	13.5% Finished Grade 11
2	OR	0.7% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
9	OR	3.2% GED
6	OR	2.1% Graduated
2	OR	0.7% Never Been In School
32	OR	11.3% Unknown
282	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

13	OR	4.6% Were Enrolled In Special Education
235	OR	83.3% Not Enrolled In Special Education
34	OR	12.1% Unknown
282	OR	100.0% Total

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NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate

number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

The Following Are The		651 Specific Case Outcomes
73	OR	11.21% Case Dismissed
7	OR	1.08% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
0	OR	0.00% Warned/Counseled
37	OR	5.68% Held Open For Review
17	OR	2.61% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
42	OR	6.45% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
3	OR	0.46% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
12	OR	1.84% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
6	OR	0.92% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
2	OR	0.31% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
24	OR	3.69% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
0	OR	0.00% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
34	OR	5.22% Fine
22	OR	3.38% Public Service
2	OR	0.31% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
25	OR	3.84% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% House Arrest
17	OR	2.61% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
2	OR	0.31% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
7	OR	1.08% DCS Commitment/Custody
1	OR	0.15% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
23	OR	3.53% Other Intensive Probation
31	OR	4.76% DCS Probation
6	OR	0.92% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
0	OR	0.00% Supervision By DCS
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Order of Reference To DCS
143	OR	21.97% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
1	OR	0.15% Foster Care Continued

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40	OR	6.14% Custody Changed
22	OR	3.38% Custody Unchanged
10	OR	1.54% Visitation Changed
0	OR	0.00% Visitation Unchanged
3	OR	0.46% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
5	OR	0.77% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
14	OR	2.15% Child Support Granted
19	OR	2.92% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
1	OR	0.15% Other
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651	OR	100.00% Total
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Of the 350 Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were

221	OR	63.1% Disposed By The Judge
104	OR	29.7% Disposed By The Referee
23	OR	6.6% Disposed By The YSO
2	OR	0.6% Other
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350	OR	100.0% Total
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Of The 344 Cases Disposed,
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 350 Referral Reasons Was:

67	OR	19.1% Dismissed
7	OR	2.0% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
57	OR	16.3% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
28	OR	8.0% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
3	OR	0.9% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
0	OR	0.0% Informal Adjustment
20	OR	5.7% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
135	OR	38.6% Special Proceeding
0	OR	0.0% Review Concluded
31	OR	8.9% Case Held Open
2	OR	0.6% Other
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350	OR	100.0% Total
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